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a convex repulsive force receiving member provided on the body of said differential housing wherein a through hole is formed in parallel with the axle tubes for receiving a fastener for coupling the body of said differential housing integrally with said support means .

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4. (Three Times Amended) An axle housing assembly according to claim 3, wherein said convex repulsive force receiving member is secured to one of said pair of axle brackets by a repulsive force receiving bolt so that said body is supported by the base frame through the brackets.

5. (Three Times Amended) An axle housing assembly according to claim 4, wherein a thick portion projecting toward said body is formed on the one of said pair of axle brackets,

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said convex repulsive force receiving member further including a portion integrally formed on said body,

said repulsive force receiving bolt being caused to pass through said thick portion and said portion of said convex repulsive force receiving member.

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7. (Three Times Amended) An axle housing assembly comprising:

an axle housing having a differential housing and a cover attached to the differential housing, said differential housing having an integrally formed housing body and being provided with a pair of axle tubes within said housing body;

support brackets for supporting said axle housing on a base frame; and